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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Preliminary Amendments is concurrently filed with the above-entitled application, which is a continuation application of a presently pending application Ser. No. 09/656,390, entitled "Computer-Aided Learning System And Method", filed on September 6, 2000, which is a continuation of application Ser. No. 09/037,768, filed March 10, 1998, issued as U.S. Pat. No. 6,139,330 on October 31, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part application of the following US Patents:

S/N 08/618,193, filed on March 19, 1996, entitled, “Methods and Apparatus to Assess and Enhance a Student’s Understanding in a Subject” (the “Test Application”) and issued as U.S. Pat. No. 5,779,486;

S/N 08/633,582, filed on April 17, 1996, entitled, “Reward Enhanced Learning System and Method” (the “Reward Application”) and issued as U.S. Pat. No. 5,743,746;

S/N 08/664,023, filed on May 28, 1996, entitled, “Relationship-Based Computer-Aided-Educational System” (the “Relationship Application”) and issued as U.S. Pat. No. 5, 727,951;

S/N 08/675,391, filed on July 2, 1996, entitled, “Learning System and Method Based on Review” (the “Review Application”) and issued as U.S. Pat. No. 5,863,208; and

S/N 08/707,189, filed on September 3, 1996, entitled, “Learning Method and System That Restricts Entertainment” (the “Restrict Application”), and issued as U.S. Pat. No. 5,743,743.